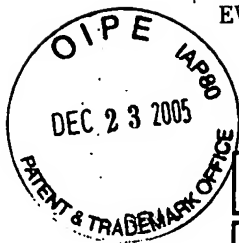


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Applicant/Patent Owner: Gerald Walter FISCHER et al.

Application No./Patent No.: 10/601171 Filed/Issue Date: June 23, 2003

Entitled: OPSONIC AND PROTECTIVE MONOCLONAL AND CHIMERIC ANTIBODIES SPECIFIC FOR LIPOTEICHOIC ACID OF GRAM POSITIVE BACTERIA

Biosynexus Incorporated
(Name of Assignee)

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THIS LICENSE AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made and entered into effective for all purposes and in all respects as of the 24th day of May, 1999 (the "Effective Date"), by and among (i) HENRY M. JACKSON FOUNDATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF MILITARY MEDICINE ("Foundation"), a tax-exempt Maryland corporation, (ii) SUNOL MOLECULAR CORPORATION ("Sunol"), a Delaware corporation, and (iii) BIOSYNEXUS INCORPORATED ("Biosynexus"), a Delaware corporation.

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EXHIBIT A-1
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Foundation Patent Rights - Exclusive License

DIRECTED HUMAN IMMUNE GLOBULIN

Serial Number 08/458,418 (18-01)

Serial Number 08/459,164 (18-03)

Serial Number 08/460,622 (18-04)

Related Foreign Patents and Applications

Serial Number 32718/93 Australia

Serial number 2,117,480 Canada

Serial Number 93910435.3 European Patent Office

Serial Number 5-514800 Japan

BROADLY REACTIVE OPSONIC ANTIBODY

U.S. Patent No. 5,971,511 (02-05)

Serial Number 08/458,414 (19-01)

Related Foreign Patents and Applications

Serial Number 2,132,421 Canada

Serial Number 93907460.5 European Patent Office

Serial Number 105119 Israel

Serial Number 5-516636 Japan

Serial Number 45928 Phillippines

Serial Number 93/1969 South Africa

IN VITRO METHODS

Serial Number 08/466,059 (20-02) – In Vitro Methods for Identifying Pathogenic Staphylococcus, for Identifying Immunoglobulin Useful for the Treatment of Pathogenic Staphylococcus Infections and In Vitro Methods for Employing Such Immunoglobulin

Gerald W. Fischer (VSI)

New application filed on 6/6/96; initial patent application filed on 10/22/90 (which was abandoned)

This patent application describes staphylococcal antigens that induce broadly reactive opsonic antibodies to both coagulase positive and negative staphylococci. Claims for such antigens may be useful in diagnostics and of value in vaccine constructs.

Related Foreign Patents and Applications

SURFACE PROTEINS

Serial Number 08/472,715 (21-01)

Serial Number 08/471,285 (21-03)

Related Foreign Patents and Applications

Serial Number 36371/95 Australia

Serial Number 2,200691 Canada

Serial Number 95933880.7 European Patent Office

Serial Number 8-511066 Japan

With respect to the Foundation Licensed Technology listed on Exhibit A-2, an exclusive worldwide right and license is granted that is limited to the field of the prevention and treatment of staphylococcal infections.

EXHIBIT A-2
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Foundation Patent Rights Licensed on a Non-Exclusive Basis

Dual Carrier Immunogenic Constructs

Dr. James J. Mond and Andrew Lees
U.S. Application filed 2/10/93; Parent Application filed 2/11/92, Issued claims.

Activation and Derivatization of Soluble Polymers Using Cyano-Transfer Reagents

Dr. Andrew Lees
Patent disclosure 6/22/93

Producing Immunogenic Constructs Using Soluble Carbohydrates Activated Via Organic Cyanylating Reagents

Dr. Andrew Lees
Patent filed 9/22/93; C.I.P. Application filed 3/22/95 Issued claims. U.S. Patent #5,651,971, issued July 29, 1997.

Method of Activating Soluble Carbohydrate Using Novel Cyanylating Reagents for the Production of Immunogenic Constructs

Dr. Andrew Lees
Patent filed 6/27/95

Process for Preparing Conjugate Vaccines Including Free Protein and the Conjugate Vaccines, Immunogens and Immunogenic Reagents produced by this Process

Dr. Andrew Lees and James Mond
Patent filed 1/8/97

Coupling of Unmodified Proteins to Haloacyl or Dihaloacyl Derivatized Polysaccharides for the Preparation of Protein-Polysaccharide Vaccines

Dr. Andrew Lees
Patent filed 4/24/97

EXHIBIT B
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SJ Group Patent Rights - Exclusive License

Opsonic and Protective Monoclonal and Chimeric Antibodies Specific Lipoteichoic Acid of Gram Positive Bacteria

Fischer, Schuman, Wong, Stinson, VSI and Sunol

Filed June 16, 1997; Serial #60/049,871

This application describes a monoclonal antibody (MAB) that is directed against LTA and provides enhanced protection passively for S. aureus and S. epidermidis in animals. Thus epitopes on LTA may induce protection against staphylococci. In addition this MAB binds to other gram positives such as group A streptococcus and enterococcus. The peptide mimic that binds to this MAB is claimed. Peptide mimics of LTA could be very useful for development of vaccines to gram positive bacteria, since LTA is considered a key component for binding of gram-positive bacteria to epithelial cells. Foundation owns a fifty percent (50%) interest in this technology.

EXHIBIT C-1
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SUNOL Patent Rights - Exclusive License

Exclusive basis:

A human single-chain antibody library consisting of the following: the specific collection of filamentous phages carrying human single-chain antibody fragments that were constructed with RNAs derived from the human spleen cells provided by the Uniformed Services University of the Health Sciences. This collections of phages was used in an in-vitro panning protocol to successfully isolate single-chain antibody fragments recognizing staphylococcal antigens.

EXHIBIT C-2
TO
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SUNOL Patent Rights Licensed on a Non-Exclusive Basis

Non-exclusive basis (an exclusive worldwide right and license is granted that is limited to the field of the prevention and treatment of staphylococcal infections):

1. Method Involving Display of Protein Binding Pairs on the Surface of Bacterial Pili and Bacteriophage US Patent #5,516,637
2. Methods for Peptide Synthesis and Purification US Patent #5,763,284
3. Peptide Synthesis and Purification by Fusion to PenI Protein or Precipitation Effective Portion Thereof US Patent # 5,888,775
4. Methods of Making Recombinant Cells USSN 09/204,979